WHAT THE PARNELLITES PRACTISE.

WORKING MEN!

You are often told that the trouble in Ireland is only a case of landlords against peasantry, and that under Home Rule the peasants will have justice and liberty.

Look at these cases, where the victims all belong to the working class.

[From Report of Weekly Meeting of Cork Defence Union, appearing in *Freeman's Journal* of 1st February, 1886.]

The following report was read from a member of the Union relative to the case mentioned in the House of Commons, in which a dog had been set on a boycotted woman, thereby inflicting serious injuries upon her :—

"This poor woman's (Johanna Donohoe's) children went for water, when the defendants, Honora Sullivan and her son Denis, whom I may mention is 24 years of age, attacked the poor children, who were very young. When the poor woman came to the assistance of her children, she was pelted with stones, and actually held against a fence whilst they set their dog at her feet, the clothes being held up whilst the flesh was being torn by their dog. This occurred on the 18th September last, the charge being heard on the 19th October. The case would be on earlier only that Mrs. Donohoe was not able to come to court sooner. Captain Stokes, R.M., was one of the magistrates who heard the case. Denis Sullivan was sentenced to two months' hard labour, and the mother, Honora Sullivan, was sentenced to four months' hard labour. From this they appealed to the Chairman of Quarter Sessions, at Macroom, on the 6th January last."

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TRALEE, SUNDAY, *January* 31*st*, 1886.

"A barbarous outrage was committed about seven o'clock last evening, on a process-server named Giles Roe, who lives at a place called Killiney, a mile to the west of Castlegregory. A party of five men disguised and partially armed, visited his house at the above-mentioned hour, at the time himself and his wife were at supper. On noticing the entrance of the strangers the process-server cordially greeted them, and invited them to take a seat by the fire. Immediately one of the gang sprang to the spot where the wife was sitting, and clasping his hand over her mouth, another coolly drew a razor from his pocket, and before the unfortunate process-server had time to stir from his seat, his right ear was lopped off. After the perpetration of the horrible deed the party immediately decamped, leaving their victim in an insensible state. As soon as he recovered consciousness, by the aid of his wife, he proceeded to Castlegregory police barrack, and there reported the matter. Up to the present no arrests have been made in connection with the affair. It may be well to mention that this unfortunate man had but one arm. Having fallen out of a car one evening going home, his arm was dangerously broken, and had to be amputated. A raid was made before on his house in the year 1881, but Roe was not inside at the time, being present at the Dingle Quarter Sessions."

The men who perpetrate these outrages act in the interest of the National League, which thankfully accepts the fruits of their labours.

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Do you wish to hand the Irish peasantry over to such a Government? Would you like such a Government for yourselves?

If not, **vote against Home Rule** and do your best to get your neighbours to do the same.

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